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Applicant(s): Andy Wachter

Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CLEANING TIRE RIMS

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed December 14, 2005, Applicant elects Group II and claims 5-16, drawn to a brush for prosecution in the present application.

Applicant submits a Petition for a Four-Month Extension of Time, hereby extending the time for responding to the Official Action from January 14, 2006 to and including May 14, 2006.